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Proceeding to review Rider 4, Gas Cost,)
pursuant to Section 9-244(c) of the)
Public Utilities Act)
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NOTICE O	F FILING
PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that on this da	ate, July 12, 2002, we filed with the Chief Clerk
of the Illinois Commerce Commission 527 East Ca	apitol Avenue, Springfield, Illinois 62794-9280
the enclosed Petition of the People of the State of	Illinois For Leave to Intervene.
	Mark Kaminski
	Assistant Attorney General
<u>CERTIFICATE</u>	OF SERVICE
I, Mark Kaminski, Assistant Attorney Gen	eral, hereby certify that I served the above
identified documents upon all active parties of rec	ord on the attached service list on July 12,
2002, by electronic mail. Hard copies will be prov	rided upon request.
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PETITION FOR LEAVE TO INTERVENE

The People of the State of Illinois, <u>ex rel</u>. James E. Ryan, Attorney General of the State of Illinois, ("the People") pursuant to the Rules of Practice of the Illinois Commerce Commission, 83 Ill.Admin.Code, Section 200.200, petition for leave to intervene and be made a party in the above captioned proceeding. In support of this Petition, the People of the State of Illinois state the following:

- The Attorney General represents consumers of natural gas services within the State of Illinois before this Commission.
- 2. The People of the State of Illinois, as consumers of natural gas services, will be affected by any order entered by the Commission in this proceeding.
- 3. The People accept the record as of this date.

WHEREFORE, for the above-stated reasons, the People pray that leave to intervene be granted by the Commission and that they be made a party to the proceedings in Docket No. 02-0067.

Respectfully submitted,

People of the State of Illinois, <u>ex rel</u>. JAMES E. RYAN Attorney General

Dated: July 12, 2002 By:_____

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VERIFICATION

STATE OF ILLINOIS)	
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COUNTY OF COOK)		

Mark Kaminski being first duly sworn upon oath, deposes and states that he is an Assistant Attorney General, Office of the Attorney General State of Illinois; and that he has read the foregoing **Petition For Leave To Intervene, ICC Docket No. 02-0667**, and knows the contents thereof; and that to the best of his knowledge, information and belief, based upon reasonable inquiry, the said contents are true and correct.

Mark Kaminski
Assistant Unit Supervisor
Public Utilities Bureau/Consumer Utilities Unit

SUBSCRIBED and SWORN to before me this 12thday of July, 2002

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